A BILL

To amend Section 319 of the Immigration and Nationality

Act to permit naturalization for certain employees of United

States nonprofit organizations engaged in disseminating information which significantly promotes United States interests.

- Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives
- 2 of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That
- 3 the Immigration and Nationality Act, Section 319 (8 U.S. C.
- 4 1430), is amended by adding subsection 3 as follows:

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- 5 a. Section 319(c) Any person who (l) is employed by a
- 6 bona fide United States incorporated nonprofit organization
- 7 which is principally engaged in conducting abroad through
- 8 communications media the dissemination of information which
- 9 significantly promotes United States interests abroad and which
- 10 is recognized as such by the Attorney General of the United
- 11 States, and (2) has been so employed continuously for a period
- of not less than five years, and (3) who files his petition for
- 13 naturalization while so employed or within six months following
- 14 the termination thereof, and (4) who is in the United States at

- 1 the time of naturalization, and (5) who declares before the
- 2 naturalization court in good faith an intention to take up residence
- 3 within the United States immediately upon termination of such
- 4 employment, may be naturalized upon compliance with all the
- 5 requirements of this Act, except that no prior residence or
- 6 specified period of physical presence within the United States or
- 7 within the jurisdiction of the court, or proof thereof, shall be
- 8 required.
- 9 b. The title preceding Section 319 is amended to read as
- 10 follows: "MARRIED PERSONS AND EMPLOYEES OF CERTAIN
- 11 NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS."
- 12 c. The table of contents (Title III Nationality and
- 13 Naturalization, Chapter 2) of the Immigration and Nationality
- 14 Act, is amended by changing the designation of Section 319 to
- 15 read as follows: "Sec. 319. Married persons and employees of
- 16 certain nonprofit organizations."